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- 1. IRAN 2. CNTRY CODE: 507 3. SER NO: 0004000
- 4. AGRIFARM AGRICULTURAL & INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY CO. LTD.
- 4A. CODE: K 4B. CODE: A 4C. CODE:
- 5. AGRIFARM BLDG., 191 EISENHOWER AVE.
- 6. TEHRAN IRAN
- 7. ESTABL: 1962 8. EMPL: 55 9. SIZE: (QOAX) LARGE
- 10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
- 11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS THROUGHOUT IRAN
- 12. RPT. DATE: 8/77
- 13A. 35110/532 IMP DIST & AGT OF FARM MACHINERY
- 13B. 35222/532 IMP DIST & AGT OF SPRAYERS AND DUSTERS AND ATTACHMENT

FARM MACHINERY

- 13C. 28710/532 IMP DIST & AGT OF FERTILIZERS
- 13D. 35230/532 IMP DIST AGT OF GRAIN GRADING, CLEANING AND

SORTING MACHINES

- 14. CONTACT: HOSSEIN KHODAIFAR TITLE: MANAGING DIRECTOR
- 15. CABLE: AGRIFARM 16. TELEX: 212019 AGRI IR
- 17. TEL 933035-8
- 18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANK MELLI IRAN: BANK OF TEHRAN; BANK

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19. TRADE REFS: SA E AS (20)

20. AGENCY REPS: ASSOCIATED MFG. INT. CORP NORTH MIAMI BEACH,

FLORIDA 33160, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, SPRAYERS, GRAIN AUGERS

AND DISC HARROWS; CALIFORNIA PELLET MILLS, SAN FRANCISCO,

CALIFORNIA 94103, PELLET MILLS; DALTON COOPER AND GATES CORP,

NEW YORK, N.Y. 10001, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY; GEHL COMPANY,

WESTBEND, WISCONSIN 53095, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY; THE HEIL COMPANY, MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53201, DEHYDRATORS, DRYERS; SPERRY NEW HOLLAND, PENNSYLVANIA 17557, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY NEW IDEA, COLDWATER, OHIO, 45828; OPENHEIMER INT CORP MOBILE, ALABAMA 36601, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY: SPECIAL PRODUCTS COMPANY, GOLDEN COLORADO 80401, TRACTOR BLADES, DITCHER DIGGGERS, TRAILERS, PLOWS TRACTOR ACCESSORIES.

21. FIRM IS ONE OF THE LARGEST IN ITS KIND. IT IMPORTS, DISTRIBUTES AND WHOLESALES FARM MACHINERY, SPRAYERS, DUSTERS, GRAIN DRYERS, PELLETING MACHINES AND FERTILIZERS FROM U.S., EUROPE, JAPAN AND ISRAEL. FIRM REPRESENTS SEVERAL FOREIGN SUPPLIERS. FIRM IS OWNED AND MANAGED BY AYOUB YOUSEFZADEH, HOSSEN KHODAIFAR, AND MOHAMMAD POOR YAZDANKHAH, ALL WELL-EXPEREINCED IRANIAN BUSINESSMEN. BANK REPORTS FIRM'S REGISTERED CAPITAL AT 50 MILLION RIALS BUT ADDS THAT ITS WORKING CAPITAL FAR EXCEEDS THIS FIGURE. BOTH BANKING AND TRADE SOURCES RATE FIRM'S REPUTATION AS "GOOD". THE FIRM'S FINANCES APPEAR SOUND AND OBLIGATIONS ARE PROMPTLY MET. THE EMBASSY CONSIDERS THE COMPANY A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. SUPPPLIERS.

22. PREPARED BY: A. MELIKIAN APPROVED BY: D E WESTLEY AT AMEMBASSY TEHRAN. SULLIVAN

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